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File No. 36-11

Serial Nos. 1-9

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1-9

Part B. for Feb 4/1913.

SUBJECT.

Report on the working of the Factories
Regulation & the Rules framed thereunder
for 1911.

1. From the D. M. Kolar Dt.
5618/261 d. 18.2.12.

Submits the Report.

2. Do Shiwaga Dt.
239/39 d. 29.2.12.

Do -

3. Kadur Dt.
298 d. 5.3.12.

- Do -

4. G. R. S. 56

385 d. 6.3.12.

Chitalong Dt.

P. T. O.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Legislation)

NOTES.

File No. 86-4

FILE HEADING.

Report on the working of the factories Regulation and the
Rules framed thereunder for 1911

From

The D.M., Kolar Dt.

No. 127 $\frac{5618}{261}$

Dated 18-2-1912

Received 22-2-1912

Diary No. 2272

Enclos.

Spare Copies.

Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Submits the report

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Sl. 2	No. 239/39 dated 29-2-12 from the D.M., Shimoga Dt.
Sl. 3	No. 298 dated 5-3-12 — — — — — Kader Dt.
Sl. 4	No. 385 dated 6-3-12 — — — — — Chitaling Dt.
Sl. 5	No. 508 dated 11-4-12 — — — — — Mysore Dt.
Sl. 6	No. 475 dated 12-4-12 — — — — — Tumkur Dt.

NOTES—First Sheet.

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No 332/s dated 18-4-12 from the D.M., Hassan

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No S 137 dated 4-10-12 re Bangalore
Submit the report.

1 The report from the Bangalore D.C.
was received nearly six months after the
due date (10th April).

2 There were no factories in the
Stannago, Kadur, Hassan & Tumkur D.C.

3 The Gorbiddur Sugar Factory is
exempted from the provisions of the
Regulation prohibiting the employment
of labour on Sundays.

4 The recommendation of the
Clubalroog D.C. was made to bring
certain spinning factories under the
Factories Regulation has also
been sanctioned.

Sub for order

Recd
14/10/12

[After going thro' the papers
and when about to draft the review
I find that ^{in the file} there is no copy of the rules
under the Factories Regn. Phase
put up at once.]

22/10/12

[Copy of Regulation & rules of

1097/Dep't 9-12-2
14-10-12.
(File was to be
sent to the Trans-
action Section)

Notified no 91071/Dep't 31-12-5

9-10-12-
(File in Translation
Section)

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	rules thereunder submitted]. Sta. Secy / 5 Mean make clean copy of the draft St 7/11/12 6 Fair copy of the review is subd. Rba-Brn 31/10/12 1/11/12 St Secy Devan Khanna 1st Circular 23 6/11/12 St 6/11/12 26 12-11-12 St 10/11/12 23 11/11 St 11/11/12 23 12/11

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General and Revenue
Secretariat.

Regd. File No. 36

of 1911-12

Serial No.	
	Draft. approved by the Secy.
	(13.12.12)
✓	Issued
8/2/13	16/12/12
9	No. 1751-8 dated 21 st Dec: 1912
	To the St. Magistrate of G.S.
	Reviews the reports with certain observations

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

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said Reputation. It is situated at a distance of about half a mile from Gombidum Town on the banks of the Northern Pennar. The South India Industrials Ltd are the proprietors of the factory, and Mr J. Cromwell continued to be in immediate charge of the working and internal management thereof.

3. The factory worked only for five months in the year i.e from January to April and in the month of October, but at other times it had been closed for want of stock of faggons.

4. The factory is worked by a steam engine of 100 horse power and all the machines and mill gearing are fenced properly. The system of shifts is in force in this factory, there being four shifts in a day, each of 6 hours duration.

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5. The average number employed during the year was 160 per day, of whom 148 were males and 12 females. The maximum period during which women are made to work in the day is 10 hours with an interval of two hours. They are not allowed to work at nights.

6. The Sanitary arrangements in the factory and its premises are reported to be satisfactory and the general health of the employees to be good.

7. There were no prosecutions during the year under the Regulation.

8. The factory was inspected once by the Sub Division Officer and 1st class Magistrate of Hichballapur Sub Division, and once by the Amildar Magistrate

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during the year.

9. The Manager has been pointed out that the provision of only two holidays in a month to the operatives in the factory is opposed to Section 5 B of the Regulation and that work should be stopped on all Sundays.

10. The Statement that has to accompany the report is herewith submitted.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

VP

Your Most Obedient Servant

W. Kesavaiah

Assistant Commissioner

For District Magistrate

absent from station.

Kolar District.

sent to accompany the annual Report
Colar District, for the Calendar year 1917

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on the working of the sugar factory at Gouth

persons convicted the year										number of inspections made during the year.		Remarks			
section of the Population					section 15 (2) of the Population Act										
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										By special inspectors & patrols					
										By medical officers					
										By other officers, if any.					

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The factory was at work
during the months from
January to April and
October 1911

Assistant Comm
magistrate
In district magistrate
Absent from station

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From

Srinivasa Rouleque
District Engineer
Munoga

To

C. S. Basundaram Iyer Esq
Secretary to the Government
General & Mysore
Deputy Commissioner

Dated

20 Feb 1912

Despatched

Received

General No. 2391

No.

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Enclosure No

states that
factories constructed
under the Mysore
Factories Regulation
and Rules framed
thereunder existed
in this district during
the year 1911.

6) 10239/39 Obby of the District Magistrate
 Shimoga District
 Filed 29 February 1912

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From

D. Srinivasa Row Esquire
 District Magistrate
 Shimoga

To

F. S. Balasundaram, Esquire B.A.
 Secretary to the Government of Mysore
 General and Revenue Departments

Sir

I have the honor to
 state that no factories constructed
 under the Mysore Factories Regula-
 tion and Rules framed thereunder
 existed in this District during
 the year 1911.

I have the honor to be
 Sir,
 Your most obedient servant

D. Srinivasa Row
 for District Magistrate
 Shimoga

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From
The Deputy Commissioner
Kadur District

To The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore,
General & Revenue Department
Bangalore.

Dated

Despatched

5th March 1912.

Received

General No. 298.
No.

Enclosure No. nil

Reporting that during the
past calendar year 1911 there were
no factories in this District under
Section 2 of the Mysore Factories
Regulation IV of 1892.

DIARY NO. 79325

Office of the District Magistrate,
Kadur.

10-11-1912

Dated, Chikmagalur, 5th March 1912

Section 36-11

A. Subrahmanya Iyer, Esquire, B.A.,

Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

To, C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq. B.A.,
Secretary to the Govt of Mysore,
Genl and Rev. Depts.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that
during the past Calendar year 1911,
there were no factories in this District
fulfilling all or any of the conditions
of the definition of the word 'factory' in
Section 2 of the Mysore Factories Regu-
lation IV of 1892.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

A. Subrahmanya
District Magistrate.

Kadur District.

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d/s
From

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The District Magistrate
Chitaldrug District

To The Secretary to the Govt &
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore
General & Revenue Departments

Dated 6.3.12 Bangalore

Despatched

Received

General No. 385
No.

Enclosure No. 1

Forwarding report on
the working of the
factories for the Calendar
Year 1911

DIARY No. 92338

Office of the District Magistrate,
13/11/312
SECTION *Legis* Chitaldroog District.
Dated Chitaldrug, 6th March 1912.
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From

K. Chandy Esquire B. A.,
District Magistrate,
Chitaldrug.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer Esquire B. A.,
Officiating Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments,
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith the following report for the calender year 1911 on the working of the Factories Regulation IV of 1892 and the Rules thereunder.

2 The marginally noted factories which have continued to work at Davanagere during the year under report are worked by steam engines and mainly with midday stoppages for $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours in each.

1. The Rattanjee Harmosjee & Co., situated on the Davanagere Chitaldrug Road, Davanagere.
2. The Davanagere Ginning Factory by the side of the Chitaldrug road, Davanagere.
3. The Tadapatri Cotton Press Company, Davanagere.

3 When the work is very heavy, the two factories of Rattanjee Harmosjee Co., (2) The Davanagere Ginning Factory are reported to work at nights also, employing a separate set of workmen, from about 7 P.M. to 6 A.M. next morning. These operatives are also reported to be given an interval of $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours even at nights.

4 The average number of operatives employed each day is

	Males.	Females.	Children
In the first Factory.	20.	29.	
In the second Factory.	10.	20.	
In the third Factory.	22.	42.	

5- It will thus be seen that children under 9 years of age have not at all been employed in any of these Factories.

6 During the year under report, the three factories were inspected twice by the Amildar Magistrate of Davanagere and once by me. As the sanitary condition of the Davanagere Ginning Factory, was not satisfactory, a portion of the building being very dark and stuffy, the agent has been directed to improve it early.

7 The sanitary arrangements made in the other two factories are satisfactory. Suitable arrangements are made for the Latrine in the Tadapatri Cotton Press Company while in the other it is reported to be under construction.

8 There are sufficient means of exit for the operatives in both these factories to clear out in case of fire, and water is collected in small tubs, kept here and there. As these appeared to be insufficient, the agents of the factories have been advised to make better arrangement for the purpose, as at present the extra water will have to be baled out from the wells in case of accident.

9 The general helath of the operatives in all the Factories was good. These factories are not worked on Sundays. A statement showing the details of the working of the Factories is attached hereto for reference.

10 The three new factories which are also reported to be working at Davanagere, have already been recommended to be brought under the Regulation.

I have the honor to be,

S I R,

Your most obedient servant.

District Magistrate,

Chitaldrug District.

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Statement showing the details of working of the Factories in the

Serial number of the Factory													
Name and locality of the Factory													
Nature of Industry													
Nature of moving Power													
Amount of moving Power													
Average daily number of operatives employed													
Adults													
Children													
Total of Columns 8 and 11													
Whether Factory is worked mainly by shifts (2) by midday stoppages or (3) otherwise													
Whether a General holiday is ordinarily given (1) on Sundays (2) on varying weeks													
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	The Rattanji Harnuji and Co. Davanere Situated on the Davanere-Bhildray Road.	Cotton spinning	Steam	72 H.P.	20	29	49				49	Worked mainly by midday stoppages 4-7m to 12 noon 7-30 P.M. to 6-30 P.M.	No work on
2	The Davanere spinning Factory. By the side of the Bital-dry Road Davanere	Cotton spinning	Steam	16 H.P.	10	20	30				30	Worked mainly by midday stoppages 7 A.M. to 12 noon 1-30 P.M. to 6-30 P.M.	No work on
3	The Adaphatri Cotton Press Co. Ltd. Davanere	Cotton spinning	Steam	20 H.P.	22	42	64				64	By midday stoppages only. 7 A.M. to 12 noon and 1-30 to 6 P.M.	No work on

The midday interval given to the operatives in each of these factories when the work is heavy the factories nos. 1 and 2 are reported to employing a different set of workmen and these are also given about midnight.

under Sec. 5B, 2(c) or (4) 5B(2)(d) or (5) otherwise worked	Number of accidents				Number of persons Prosecuted during the year.													Number of inspections made during the year					Remarks
	Total	Serious	Minor	Total	Under Section 15(1) of the Factories Regulation clauses									Total of Columns 19 & 27	Under 15(2) of the Factories Regulation	Total of Columns 28 & 29	By Magistrates	By Special Magistrates	By Medical Officers	By others, if any	Total		
					A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I										
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	
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is reported to be 1 1/2 hours.
 be working also at night
 an interval of 1 1/2 hours

M. Masamph
 District Magistrate
 Chitaldrug District, absent in

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From K. Krishnan sgt.
District Magistrate
Mysore District

To C. S. Balasundaram Esq. B.A.
Offg Secy to Govt. of Mysore
Genl & Rev. Depts.

Dated

Despatched

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General No. 508
No.

Enclosure No. one

Submit a report on the
working of the Factories
Regulation IV of 1892 for
1911.

No 508
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Serial 5.
Office of the District Magistrate,
Mysore District
Dated Mysore 11 April 1912.

From

Mr. Krishna Rao, Esq.,
District Magistrate,
Mysore District

To,

C. S. Balasundaram Rao, Esq.,
B.A.,
Offg. Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
Genl. and Rev. Department,
Bangalore

Sir,

I have the honor to submit,
herewith the following report on the
working of the Factories Regulation
IV of 1892 and the Rules framed
thereunder for the calendar year
1911.

There is only one factory at
Hemur registered under rule 4
of the Regulation. It goes by the name
of Matheon Works. It comprises
of three departments viz (1) Coffee
curing (2) Bone Crushing for manu-
-rial purposes and (3) Saw mills.
Strength. The daily average attendance of
operatives during the year is as
follows:-

	<u>Adults.</u>	<u>Children.</u>
Males	37	16
Females	24	
	<u>61 + 16 = 77.</u>	

7. No. 4375-
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From *The* Surgeon
DISTT. MEDL. OFFICER,
MYSORE DISTRICT.

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To *The* District,
Magistrate, Mysore

Dated 8.4.1912

Despatched

Received

General No. 2274.
No. 1

Enclosure No. *nil.*

Sir,

With reference to your
No. 5344, dated 29.3.1912,
I have the honor to report that I
inspected the "Matheson's
Works" at Idnursur. The

1) daily average attendance
of operatives is as follows:-

Adult males, 37.

Adult females, 24.

Children above 9 years of
age, 16. They are fit for
the work assigned to them.

2) The working hours for
men are 7 to 12 Am.
and 1 to 5 P.M.

for Women 7 to 12 Am. & 1 to 5 P.M.

for children 8 to 12 Am. & 2 to 5 P.M.

- 3) ¹⁵⁾ The nature of the work is chiefly work. A few men work machines. Women and Children do Cooly work.
- 4) They work $5\frac{1}{2}$ days in a week (no work on Sundays and Thursday afternoons).
- 5) Notices both in English and Canarese showing the working hours are hung up.
- 6) There is a saw mill in use to cut timber.
- 7) The moving parts of the machinery are all carefully protected.
- 8) There were no accidents last year.
- 9) The Local Medical Officer inspects the factory occasionally.
- 10) The latrines have been kept clean and the night soil and urine are suitably disposed off.
- 11) The drinking water is supplied to the work people.

Have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
Esakmaswami
Surgeon

Legis 36-11 Serial 6
Office of the District Magistrate,
Tumkur District,

Dated, 12th April 1912.

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From

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M. Shama Rao Esq. M. A.,
District Magistrate,
Tumkur District,
T U M K U R.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer Esq. B. A.,
Offg: Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments,
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to state that there are no factories
in the District for a report being submitted as required by
the Factories Regulation and the Rules framed thereunder.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

M. Shama Rao

District Magistrate.

M.R.D.

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From The District Magistrate,
Tunkur District,

T U N K U R.

To The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore,

General and Revenue Departments,
Bangalore.

Dated 12th April 1912.

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Received

General No. 475
No.

Enclosure No.

States that there are no facto-
ries in the District for a report being
submitted as required by the Factories
Regulation and the Rules framed there-
under.

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From P. R. V. Vetheral, Esquire,  
District Magistrate,

Hassan District.

To  
C. S. Balacundaroy Iyer Esquire B.A.  
Offg, Secretary to the Govt. of  
MH. the Maharaja of Mysore,  
General and Revenue Departments,  
BANGALORE.

Dated 18<sup>th</sup> } April 1912.  
Despatched 19<sup>th</sup> }

Received

General No. 333  
No. 5

Enclosure No. Nil

### SUBJECT.

Report relating to the  
working of the Mysore  
Factories Regulation IV of 1892  
Concerning the Hassan District

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1911-12.  
Serial 7

J. 2843

Deputy Commissioner's Office.

Hassan District.

Dated Hassan the, 18<sup>th</sup> April 1912.

From,

P.R.W. Wetherall Esquire,

District Magistrate,

Hassan District.

To,

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer Esquire, B.A.

Offg. Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

General and Revenue Departments,

BANGALORE

Sir,

I have the honor to state that there are no factories in this District under the Mysore Factories Regulation IV of 1892. Hence there is no Annual Report to be submitted on the working of the same.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

P.R.W. Wetherall

District Magistrate.

Hassan.

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1/11/12  
1912-13  
From

The District Inspector

Bangalore District

To  
The Secretary to the  
Government of Mysore

Dated 4<sup>th</sup> Feb 1912

Despatched 4<sup>th</sup> Feb 1912

Received

General No.

No. 137

Enclosure No.

DIARY No. 1020

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| 10/11-12-12  |
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| No. 36-11    |
| Serial No. 8 |

Submits the  
report of inspection  
of the mills on the  
working of the Tax  
- laws Regulation  
and Rules framed  
thereunder for  
the year 1911-

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Office of the District Magistrate

Bangalore District.

Dated Bangalore, 4th October, 1912.

No. P. 137

From eu 2

B. J. Kumaraswami Naik Esq. B.A.

District Magistrate, Bangalore District.

To

K. R. Sreenivasagiyengar Esq. B.A.,

Offg: Secretary to the Government of His Highness  
the Maharaja of Mysore, Genl and Rev. Depts.

Sir,

I have the honor to state that the City Magistrate, Bangalore, was directed to inspect the Sirur and Binny Mills in company with the District Medical Officer, Bangalore District and submit a report for the year 1911 as required in Government -- order No. 853-69J dated 29th October 1903. A copy of the report of inspection together with that of the tabular statement giving all the details as to the working of the factories Regulation received from the City Magistrate is submitted herewith for information of Government. Extracts from the City Magistrate's report have also been sent to the Managers of the Mills to -- the defects pointed out therein and submit report early for -- having done so.

2. The Managers of the Arbuthnot Tile Manufacturing Company Ltd. have been asked and the Mysore Tannery Company Ltd., under Rule 3 of the Factory Rules to shew cause their premises should not be brought under the operations of the factories regulation. As the City Magistrate visits both the Sirur and Binny Mills every month to inspect the cotton goods manufactured therein, he has been requested to inspect the factories in detail once in 6 months as required by rule 8 of the rules framed under section 18 of the Factories Regulation Act IV of 1892.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

  
District Magistrate.

To

The District Magistrate

Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your No.1379 dated 12th March 1912, requesting me to inspect the Binny and Sirur Mills in company with the District Medical Officer and submit a report, I have the honor to state that I inspected the Mysore Spinning and Manufacturing Company Limited Limited Mills and the Bangalore Woollen, Cotton and Silk Mills, Limited in company with the Health Officer, Mr.A.K.Pani on the 13th and the 15th May respectively, and we beg, hereunder, to submit our joint report.

Sanitary arrangement.

1. Water supply.

The water supplied to the operatives in the Binny Mills is both pure and adequate. A tap within the premises of the Mills provides all the water that is required. The arrangements made to provide water supply to the operative in the Mysore Mills is anything but satisfactory. About 150 gallons of water drawn from a public tap about 190 yards -- away, from the premises of the Mill are stored in tubs in a small shed and a servant is employed to pour water to the -- workmen as they need it. The water stored is not adequate -- under the factory rules, which requires at least 800 gallons of pure drinking water for the 800 workmen employed in the Mills. Further the present system of storing water in barrels is quite insanitary as there is no arrangement to wash out the barrels before charge. The floor of the shed is in disrepair and the whole place is very dirty. The Mill authorities are to be provided with a tap for which it is believed they have made an application as early as possible.

Latrine.

The old latrine in the Binny Mills was filthy *and in utter disrepair and the mill authorities have put up a new* latrine in accordance with the plan approved by the Health Department. This new latrine is quite satisfactory and --

and adequate for the men employed.

The latrine accommodation is sufficient and satisfactory in the Mysore Mills. but it has to be shifted from its present place as it proves a nuisance to the passengers in the public road close by.

While shifting the latrine, the Mill authorities may be directed to fix a small pipe to discharge the *waste* water from the latrine into a moveable receptable to be placed in the catch pit.

(3) Ventilation  
and Cubic space.

Attention ~~is drawn~~ has been paid to this matter in the Binny Mills so that adequate ventilation is provided in all the rooms. Some of the moveable top-Ventilators that were always shut up for want of ropes have now been provided with ropes, and kept open as desired by the Health Department.

Satisfactory Ventilation is provided in all the rooms of the Mysore Mills also except in the case of the weaving room on the ground floor. The weaving room is 9790 sq.ft.in area, and about 90 men are at work on the 184 looms placed in the room.

There are eighteen small top ventilators out of which only eight could be opened. The openings of even these are obstructed by cobwebs and cotton dust. A small -- electric fan of about a foot in diameter provides the only additional means of providing fresh air to the operatives. The whole atmosphere within the room is excessively <sup>9</sup>oppressive and unhealthy and it is imperatively necessary that the mill authorities should be directed to put up a new weaving room. Meanwhile the necessity of opening fresh ventilators and the installation of -- larger electric fans is urgent.

Both the Mills are worked with midday stoppages of half an hour in each case. They are not worked on Sunday

(71)  
But when holidays are granted during any other day in the week Sundays are utilised for work and the District Magistrate notified of the fact. The registers of the Mysore Mills do not show for how many hours a female -- operative worked in each day but it is reported, a woman works from 7-30 A.M. to 6-30 P.M. with half an hour's interval at midday. None of the children that were examined in this Mill were found to be below seven but the practice of allowing uncertified children to work until their number is considered adequate for their being -- placed before the District Medical Officer for the necessary certificate, prevails. On the date of inspection it was found, that eleven uncertified children were -- allowed in the Mills. This practice is opposed to the rules and ought to be prohibited.

The registers in the Binny Mills show that a woman and child is worked for 9 and 6 hours respectively. As a matter of fact the free supply of coffee by the Mill authorities in the morning induces the women to go to work about half an hour earlier than their scheduled -- time.

At the Binny Mills it was found that about 7 female children under 14 were working all through the day. This was brought to the notice of the Mill authorities who have promised to inquire into the matter. 5

Registers CD. and E are maintained at both the Mills. The Registers D and E of the Mysore do not show the actual number of hours a woman and a child were at work each day. The column provided for this entry were not filled up and the mistake <sup>was</sup> pointed out.

Forms of certificates in form B are not maintained at either of the Mills. The certifying Surgeon passes the children produced before him and notes his certificate in the Register C. A separate certificate for each -- child as required in Form 'B' should be ordered to be maintained. fe

by the rules are not  
All the notices required ~~maintained~~ maintained at  
either the Mills. The particulars of the notices not  
maintained is given in the form hereto appended.

The Binny Mills are worked with electric power,  
and the Sirur Mills with steam power. The quantity  
of power in the Binny Mills being about 350 N.H.P.  
and in the Sirur Mills about 500 N.H.P. All the --  
Machinery that requires fencing have been properly  
fenced in both the Mills. There was ~~one~~ accident in  
the Mysore Mills and two in the Binny Mills. The --  
particulars and all other details are noted in the  
form hereto appended.

Sd/-A.K.Pani,  
Health Officer,  
Bangalore.

Sd/-C.Ranganatha Rao Saheb  
City Magistrate,  
Bangalore.

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for  
District Magistrate

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The following report from the

Magistrates of Dto. on the working of the Mysore

Factories Regn., 1892, during the year 1911.

[Here enter all the reports in extenso.]

ORDER THEREON.—No. J 1751-8

The number of factories in the State, viz.

~~under the Factories Regn.~~ remained the same

as in the previous year; viz 2 in the Bangalore

St. in the Kolars, one in the Mysore, and

three in the Chitaldrug, Dto.

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2) These new factories in the  
Davao Taluk have since been  
declared to be factories under  
Sec 20 of the Regulation.

3) ~~The Gontidnur Sugar~~  
~~factory is reported to have worked~~  
~~only for five months in the year~~  
~~for want of jaggery and on account~~  
~~of the nature of the work carried~~  
~~on in it, it has since been ex-~~  
~~empted from the provisions, pro-~~  
~~hibiting the employment of labour~~  
~~on Sundays.~~ <sup>it was recently</sup>  
<sup>of the Regulation</sup>

4) The report of the D<sup>g</sup> Master  
Bangalore discloses several in-  
working of the mills of the  
regularities in the Mysore Spinning  
& Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Bangalore.  
Inadequate supply of water for  
the use of the operatives and  
sanitary arrangements for its  
distributing & deficiency of  
ventilation in the weaving room  
are some of the instances of  
violation of rules by the Mill  
authorities.

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<sup>brought to notice</sup>  
authorities. The Dt Magistrate is

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requested to take suitable steps

at ~~once~~ an early date to have these

defects remedied ~~and the report~~ =  
this having been done so

2) It is also noticed that

the practice prevails in this mill

of employing uncertified children

for labour and that women labour

ers are not given as much rest

as is required <sup>by</sup> the rules.

The Dt Magistrate should strictly

enforce the rules and see that

the unauthorised practices ~~just~~

referred to <sup>above</sup> are stopped.

6) Great regret to observe that

the report from the Dt Magistrate of

Bangalore was received on the 8th

Oct 1912 i.e. nearly six months

after the due date. Such inordinate

delay discounts ~~the~~ greatly the

value of the report furnished and

it is hoped that ~~the Dt Magistrate will pay~~

<sup>better</sup> <sup>of</sup> <sup>in</sup> <sup>future</sup> <sup>attention</sup> to the punctual submis-

sion of the report

  
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To The Magistrates, Dt. <sup>6/12/12</sup> <sup>for</sup> <sup>off</sup> <sup>Secy</sup>  
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The following reports from the Magistrates of districts, on the working of the Mysore Factories Regulation, 1892, during the year 1911.

*Letter No. S. 137, dated 4—7th October 1912, from the District Magistrate, Bangalore District.*

I have the honor to state that the City Magistrate, Bangalore, was directed to inspect the Sirur and Binny Mills in company with the District Medical Officer, Bangalore District, and submit a report for the year 1911 as required in Government Order No. 853-69 J., dated 29th October 1903. A copy of the report of inspection together with that of the tabular Statement A giving all the details as to the working of the Factories Regulation received from the City Magistrate, is submitted herewith for the information of Government. Extracts from the City Magistrate's report have also been sent to the Managers of the Mills to rectify the defects pointed out therein and submit report early for having done so.

2. The Managers of the Arbuthnot Tile Manufacturing Company, Ltd., and the Mysore Tannery Company, Ltd., have been asked under Rule 3 of the Factory Rules to show cause why their premises should not be brought under the operations of the Factories Regulation. As the City Magistrate visits both the Mysore and Binny Mills every month to inspect the cotton goods manufactured therein, he has been requested to inspect the factories in detail once in three months as required by Rule 8 of the Rules framed under Section 18 of the Factories Regulation, IV of 1892.

(ENCLOSURE.)

*Joint Report by the City Magistrate, Bangalore, and the District Medical Officer, Bangalore District, to the District Magistrate, Bangalore District.*

With reference to your No. 1379, dated 12th March 1912, requesting me to inspect the Binny and Mysore Mills in company with District Medical Officer and submit a report, I have the honor to state that I inspected the Mysore Spinning and Manufacturing Company, Limited, Mills and the Bangalore Woollen, Cotton and Silk Mills, Limited, in company with the Health Officer Mr. A. K. Pani on the 13th and the 15th May respectively, and we beg, hereunder, to submit our joint report.

1. *Sanitary arrangement.—Water-supply.*—The water supplied to the operatives in the Binny Mills is both pure and adequate. A tap within the premises of the Mills provides all the water that is required. The arrangements made to provide water-supply to the operative in the Mysore Mills is anything but satisfactory. About 150 gallons of water drawn from a public tap about 190 yards away from the premises of the Mills are stored in tubs in a small shed and a servant is employed to pour water to the workmen as they need it. The water stored is not adequate under the Factory Rules, which requires at least 800 gallons of pure drinking water for the 800 workmen employed in the Mills. Further the present system of storing water in barrels is quite insanitary as there is no arrangement to wash out the barrels before charge. The floor of the shed is in disrepair and the whole place is very dirty. The Mill authorities are to be provided with a tap as early as possible for which it is believed they have made an application.

2. *Latrine.*—The old latrine in the Binny Mills was filthy and in utter disrepair and the Mill Authorities have put up a new latrine in accordance with the plan approved by the Health Department. This new latrine is quite satisfactory and adequate for the men employed.

The latrine accommodation is sufficient and satisfactory in the Mysore Mills, but it has to be shifted from its present place as it proves a nuisance to the passengers in the public road close by.

While shifting the latrine, the Mill Authorities may be directed to fix a small pipe to discharge the waste water from the latrine into a moveable receptacle to be placed in the catch pit.

3. *Ventilation and cubic space.*—Attention has been paid to this matter in the Binny Mills so that adequate ventilation is provided in all the rooms. Some of the moveable top-ventilators that were always shut up for want of ropes have now been provided with ropes, and kept open as desired by the Health Department.

Satisfactory ventilation is provided in all the rooms of the Mysore Mills also except in the case of the weaving room on the ground floor. The weaving room is 9,790 square feet in area, and about 90 men are at work on the 184 looms placed in the room.

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There are eighteen small top-ventilators out of which only eight could be opened. The openings of even these are obstructed by cobwebs and cotton dust. A small electric fan of about a foot in diameter provides the only additional means of providing fresh air to the operatives. The whole atmosphere within the room is excessively oppressive and unhealthy and it is imperatively necessary that the Mill Authorities should be directed to put up a new weaving room. Meanwhile the necessity of opening fresh ventilators and the installation of larger electric fans is urgent.

Both the Mills are worked with midday stoppages of half an hour in each case. They are not worked on Sundays, but when a holiday is granted during any other day in the week, Sundays are utilised for work and the District Magistrate notified of the fact. The registers of the Mysore Mills do not show for how many hours a female operative worked in each day but it is reported, a woman works from 7-30 A.M. to 6-30 P.M. with half an hour's interval at midday. None of the children that were examined in this Mill was found to be below seven but the practice of allowing uncertified children to work until their number is considered adequate for their being placed before the District Medical Officer for the necessary certificate, prevails. On the date of inspection it was found that eleven uncertified children were allowed in the Mills. This practice is opposed to the rules and ought to be prohibited.

The registers in the Binny Mills show that women and children are worked for 9 and 6 hours, respectively. As a matter of fact the free supply of coffee by the Mill Authorities in the morning induces the women to go to work about half an hour earlier than their scheduled time.

At the Binny Mills it was found that about seven female children under 14 were working all through the day. This was brought to the notice of the Mill Authorities who have promised to inquire into the matter.

Registers C, D and E are maintained at both the Mills. The Registers D and E of the Mysore Mills do not show the actual number of hours a woman and a child were at work each day. The columns provided for this entry were not filled up and the mistake was pointed out.

Forms of certificates in Form B are not maintained at either of the Mills. The certifying Surgeon passes the children produced before him and notes his certificate in the Register C. A separate certificate for each child as required in Form 'B' should be ordered to be maintained.

All the notices required by the rules are not maintained at either of the Mills. The particulars of the notices not maintained are given in the form hereto appended.

The Binny Mills are worked with electric power, and the Mysore Mills with steam power. The quantity of power in the Binny Mills being about 750 N. H. P. and in the Mysore Mills about 500 N. H. P. All the machinery that require fencing have been properly fenced in both the Mills. There was one accident in the Mysore Mills and two in the Binny Mills. The particulars and all other details are noted in the form hereto appended.

Statement showing the details of working hands in the Mills, etc., ascertained during the inspection for the year 1911-12.

| 1          | 2                                                  | 3                                               | 4                                                                 | 5                                                              | 6                  | 7                                               |        |                                                             |          | 8                                          |                                                                                   | 9                                                                            | 10                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                  |
|------------|----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------------------|--------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Serial No. | Name and description of factory                    | Village and Taluk wherein situated              | Name of Resident Manager                                          | Name of Proprietor                                             | Date of Inspection | Number of persons at work at date of Inspection |        |                                                             |          | Number of children mustered at inspection  |                                                                                   | Whether Registers C, D and E and the file of certificate in Form B, are kept | Whether (1) Form F under Rule 17 (2) a copy of the Rules as required by Rule 22 and (3) the notice required by Section 10 of the Regulation are put up in a conspicuous place                             |                                                                                                                                                                                  |
|            |                                                    |                                                 |                                                                   |                                                                |                    | Adults                                          |        | Children                                                    |          |                                            |                                                                                   |                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                  |
|            |                                                    |                                                 |                                                                   |                                                                |                    | Male                                            | Female | Male                                                        | Female   | Male                                       | Female                                                                            |                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 1          | Mysore Spinning and Manufacturing Co., Ltd.        | Bangalore City ...                              | Mr. N. S. Sirur ...                                               | Joint Stock Co...                                              | 11th May 1912 ...  | 388                                             | 80     | 190                                                         | 77       | 10                                         | ...                                                                               | Regs. C, D, E are kept and the certificates in Form B are not kept.          | 1. Notice of business hours in Form F not maintained.<br>2. Copy of Rules as required by Rule 23 with Kannada translation not maintained.<br>3. Notice under Section 10 of the Regulation not maintained. |                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 2          | Bangalore Cotton Woollen and Silk Mills Co., Ltd.  | Do ...                                          | Mr. P. Tomni ...                                                  | Do ...                                                         | 13th do ...        | 1,001                                           | 55     | 44                                                          | 32       | ...                                        | ...                                                                               | Regs. C, D, E are kept and no certificates in Form B are filed.              | 1. Maintained<br>2. Maintained<br>3. Not maintained but noted in the Register.                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                  |
|            |                                                    | 11                                              | 12                                                                | 13                                                             |                    | 14                                              |        | 15                                                          |          | 16                                         | 17                                                                                | 18                                                                           | 19                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Serial No. | Name and description of factory                    | Whether the machinery is properly fenced or not | State of water-supply, ventilation, sanitation, and accommodation | Number of persons employed at the end of the year under report |                    |                                                 |        | Maximum number of hands employed on any day during the year |          | Nature and amount of moving power employed | Whether the shift system is imposed, if so, the date of the order establishing it | Periods of shifts where the system is in force                               | Whether Factory has been exempted from the rules against Sunday labour, if so, the date of the notification exempting it                                                                                  | Remarks                                                                                                                                                                          |
|            |                                                    |                                                 |                                                                   | Adults                                                         |                    | Children                                        |        |                                                             |          |                                            |                                                                                   |                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                  |
|            |                                                    |                                                 |                                                                   | Male                                                           | Female             | Male                                            | Female | Adults                                                      | Children |                                            |                                                                                   |                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 1          | Mysore Spinning and Manufacturing Co., Ltd.        | Fenced ...                                      | Water supplied by carts and no pipe is introduced into the Mills. | 415                                                            | 76                 | 192                                             | 65     | 550                                                         | 299      | 500 Horse Steam power.                     | ...                                                                               | ...                                                                          | ...                                                                                                                                                                                                       | On 4th September 1911 one Rama of 18 years had two of his right hand fingers cut through his carelessness.                                                                       |
| 2          | Bangalore Cotton, Woollen and Silk Mills Co., Ltd. | Do ...                                          | Sanitation—Pipe water.                                            | 773                                                            | 53                 | 134                                             | 62     | 1,225                                                       | 92       | 780 Horse electric power.                  | ...                                                                               | ...                                                                          | ...                                                                                                                                                                                                       | On 1st April 1912, one Abdulla age 20 was killed being entangled while in the act of belting on 26th April 1912. One Narasinga Rao, 17, Maharatta, injured his hand on the back. |

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*Letter No. 333—S., dated 18th April 1912, from the District Magistrate, Hassan District.*

I have the honor to state that there are no factories in this district under the Mysore Factories Regulation, IV of 1892. Hence there is no annual report to be submitted on the working of the same.

*Letter No. Legis. 475, dated 12th April 1912, from the District Magistrate, Tumkur District.*

I have the honor to state that there are no factories in the district for a report being submitted as required by the Factories Regulation and the Rules framed thereunder.

*Letter No. 508, dated 11th April 1912, from the District Magistrate, Mysore District.*

I have the honor to submit herewith the following report on the working of the Factories Regulation, IV of 1892, and the Rules framed thereunder, for the calendar year 1911.

There is only one factory at Hunsur registered under Rule 4 of the Regulation. It goes by the name of Matheson's Works. It comprises of three departments, viz., (1) Coffee curing, (2) Bone crushing for manurial purposes, and (3) Saw Mills.

*Strength.*—The daily average attendance of operatives during the year is as follows :—

|             | Adults. | Children. |
|-------------|---------|-----------|
| Males ...   | 37      | 16        |
| Females ... | 24      | ...       |
| Total ...   | 61      | 16—77     |

*Hours of business.*—The working hours for males are 7 to 12 A. M. and 1 to 5 P. M.

For females 7 to 12 A. M. and 1-15 to 5 P. M. For children 8 to 12 A. M. and 2 to 5 P. M.

The coolies are given a holiday on Sunday and Thursday afternoon. There are trained men to handle the machines and they alone are said to approach the machines and the others do cooly work.

*Guard-against-danger.*—The moving parts of the machinery are all carefully protected.

*Sanitation.*—Best drinking water is supplied to the operatives.

The latrines are reported to have been kept clean, the night soil and urine being suitably disposed off.

*Accident.*—There was no accident reported during the year.

*Returns.*—The prescribed returns are being submitted regularly to the District Magistrate.

*Inspection.*—The Local Medical Officer is reported to inspect the factory occasionally.

The report due from the Sub-Divisional Officer, Mysore Sub-Division, has not yet been received this year also.

The present Taluk Magistrate reports that there was no inspection by any Magistrate during the year under report.

The Civil Surgeon has inspected the factory and submitted his report which is herein enclosed.

The working of the factory may be said to be satisfactory.

*No. 2274, dated 8th April 1912, from the District Medical Officer, Mysore District, to the District Magistrate, Mysore District.*

With reference to your No. 5544, dated 29th March 1912, I have the honor to report that I inspected the "Matheson's Works" at Hunsur.

(1) The daily average attendance of operatives is as follows :—

Adult (males) 37. Adult (females) 24. Children above 9 years of age are 16, and they are fit for the work assigned to them.

(2) The working hours for men are 7 to 12 A. M. and 1 to 5 P. M. For women 7 to 12 A. M. and 1-15 to 5 P. M. For children 8 to 12 A. M. and 2 to 5 P. M.

(3) The nature of the work is chiefly cooly work. A few men work machines. Women and children do cooly work.

(4) They work 5½ days in a week (no work on Sundays and Thursday afternoons).

(5) Notices both in English and Kanarese showing the working hours are hung up.

(6) There is a Saw Mill in use to cut timber.

(7) The moving parts of the machinery are all carefully protected.

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- (8) There were no accidents last year.
- (9) The Local Medical Officer inspects the factory occasionally.
- (10) The latrines have been kept clean, and the night soil and urine are suitably disposed off.
- (11) The drinking water is supplied to the work people.

*Letter No. 385, dated 6th March 1912, from the District Magistrate, Chitaldrug District.*

I have the honor to forward herewith the following report for the calender year 1911 on the working of the Factories Regulation, IV of 1892, and the Rules thereunder.

2. The marginally noted factories which have continued to work at Davangere during the year under report, are worked by steam engines and mainly with midday stoppages for  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hours in each.
  1. The Rattanji Harnosji & Co., situated on the Davangere-Chitaldrug road, Davangere.
  2. The Davangere Ginning Factory by the side of the Chitaldrug road, Davangere.
  3. The Tadapatri Cotton Press Company, Davangere.

3. When the work is very heavy, the two factories of Rattanji Harnosji & Co., and the Davangere Ginning Factory are reported to work at nights also, employing a separate set of workmen, from about 7 P. M. to 6 A. M. next morning. These operatives are also reported to be given an interval of one and half hours even at nights.

4. The average number of operatives employed each day is.

|                       | Males. | Females. | Children. |
|-----------------------|--------|----------|-----------|
| In the first factory  | 20     | 29       | ...       |
| In the second factory | 10     | 20       | ...       |
| In the third factory  | 22     | 42       | ...       |

5. It will thus be seen that children under 9 years of age have not at all been employed in any of these factories.

6. During the year under report, the three factories were inspected twice by the Amildar Magistrate of Davangere and once by me. As the sanitary condition of the Davangere Ginning Factory was not satisfactory, a portion of the building being very dark and stuffy, the agent has been directed to improve it early.

7. The sanitary arrangements made in the other two factories are satisfactory. Suitable arrangements are made for the latrine in the Tadapatri Cotton Press Company, while in the other it is reported to be under construction.

8. There are sufficient means of exit for the operatives in both these factories to clear out in case of fire, and water is collected in small tubs, kept here and there. As these appeared to be insufficient, the agents of the factories have been advised to make better arrangement for the purpose, as at present the extra water will have to be baled out from the wells in case of accident.

9. The general health of the operatives in all the factories was good. These factories are not worked on Sundays. A statement showing the details of the working of the factories is attached hereto for reference.

10. The three new factories which are also reported to be working at Davangere have already been recommended to be brought under the Regulation.

Statement showing the details of working of the factories in the Chitaldrug District during the year 1911.

| Serial No. of the factory | Name and locality of the factory                                                    | Nature of industry                                        | Nature of moving power | Amount of moving power | Average daily number of operatives employed |         |       |          |         |       |                           | Whether factory is worked mainly (1) by shifts, (2) by midday stoppages or (3) otherwise | Whether a general holiday is ordinarily given (1) on Sundays, (2) on varying week days, (3) whether the factory is exempted under Section 5 B, 2 (c) or (4) 5 B (2) (d) or (5) otherwise worked | Number of accidents        |                |                        |                     |                   |         |       |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------------|---------|-------|----------|---------|-------|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------|-------|
|                           |                                                                                     |                                                           |                        |                        | Adults                                      |         |       | Children |         |       | Total of columns 8 and 11 |                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Total                      | Serious        | Minor                  | Total               |                   |         |       |
|                           |                                                                                     |                                                           |                        |                        | Males                                       | Females | Total | Males    | Females | Total |                           |                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                            |                |                        |                     |                   |         |       |
| 1                         | 2                                                                                   | 3                                                         | 4                      | 5                      | 6                                           | 7       | 8     | 9        | 10      | 11    | 12                        | 13                                                                                       | 14                                                                                                                                                                                              | 15                         | 16             | 17                     | 18                  |                   |         |       |
| 1                         | The Rattanji, Harmosji & Co., Davangere, situated on the Davangere-Chitaldrug road. | Cotton Ginning ...                                        | Steam ...              | 72 N. H. P.            | 20                                          | 29      | 49    | ...      | ...     | ...   | 49                        | Worked mainly by mid-day stoppages 7-80 A. M. to 12 noon and 1-80 P.M. to 6-30 P.M.      | No work on Sundays...                                                                                                                                                                           | ...                        | ...            | ...                    | ...                 |                   |         |       |
| 2                         | The Davangere Ginning Factory by the side of the Chitaldrug road, Davangere.        | Cotton Ginning ...                                        | Steam ...              | 16 B. H. P.            | 10                                          | 20      | 30    | ...      | ...     | ...   | 30                        | Worked mainly by mid-day stoppages 7 A.M. to 12 noon and 1-80 P. M. to 6-50 P.M.         | No work on Sundays...                                                                                                                                                                           | ...                        | ...            | ...                    | ...                 |                   |         |       |
| 3                         | Tadapatri Cotton Press, Co., Ltd., Davangere.                                       | Cotton Pressing ...                                       | Steam ...              | 20 N. H. P.            | 22                                          | 42      | 64    | ...      | ...     | ...   | 64                        | By midday stoppages only 7 A.M. to 12 noon and 1-80 P. M. to 6 P.M.                      | No work on Sundays ...                                                                                                                                                                          | ...                        | ...            | ...                    | ...                 |                   |         |       |
| Serial No. of the factory | Name and locality of the factory                                                    | Number of persons prosecuted during the year              |                        |                        |                                             |         |       |          |         |       |                           |                                                                                          | Number of inspections made during the year                                                                                                                                                      |                            |                |                        |                     |                   | Remarks |       |
|                           |                                                                                     | Under Section 15 (1) of the Factories Regulation, clauses |                        |                        |                                             |         |       |          |         |       |                           | Total of columns 19 and 27                                                               | Under 15 (2) of the Factories Regulation                                                                                                                                                        | Total of columns 28 and 29 | By Magistrates | By Special Magistrates | By Medical Officers | By others, if any |         | Total |
|                           |                                                                                     | A                                                         | B                      | C                      | D                                           | E       | F     | G        | H       | I     |                           |                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                            |                |                        |                     |                   |         |       |
|                           |                                                                                     | 19                                                        | 20                     | 21                     | 22                                          | 23      | 24    | 25       | 26      | 27    | 28                        | 29                                                                                       | 30                                                                                                                                                                                              | 31                         | 32             | 33                     | 34                  | 35                | 36      |       |
|                           | The Rattanji Harmosji, & Co., Davangere, situated on the Davangere-Chitaldrug road. | ...                                                       | ...                    | ...                    | ...                                         | ...     | ...   | ...      | ...     | ...   | ...                       | ...                                                                                      | ...                                                                                                                                                                                             | 3                          | ...            | ...                    | ...                 | 3                 |         |       |
|                           | The Davangere Ginning Factory by the side of the Chitaldrug road, Davangere.        | ...                                                       | ...                    | ...                    | ...                                         | ...     | ...   | ...      | ...     | ...   | ...                       | ...                                                                                      | ...                                                                                                                                                                                             | 3                          | ...            | ...                    | ...                 | 3                 |         |       |
|                           | Tadapatri Cotton Press, Co., Ltd., Davangere.                                       | ...                                                       | ...                    | ...                    | ...                                         | ...     | ...   | ...      | ...     | ...   | ...                       | ...                                                                                      | ...                                                                                                                                                                                             | 3                          | ...            | ...                    | ...                 | 3                 |         |       |

The midday interval given to the operatives in each of these factories is reported to be 1½ hours. When the work is heavy the factories Nos. 1 and 2 are reported to be working also at night employing a different set of workmen and these are also given an interval of 1½ hours about midnight.

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*Letter No. 298, dated 5th March 1912, from the District Magistrate, Kadur District.*

I have the honor to report that during the past calendar year 1911, there were no factories in this district fulfilling all or any of the conditions of the definition of the word "factory" in Section 2 of the Mysore Factories Regulation, IV of 1892.

*Letter No. 239—39, dated 29th February 1912, from the District Magistrate, Shimoga District.*

I have the honor to state that no factories construed under the Mysore Factories Regulation and Rules framed thereunder existed in this district during the year 1911.

*Letter No. 5618—261, dated 1st February 1912, from the District Magistrate, Kolar District.*

I have the honor to submit herewith the following report for the calendar year 1911 on the working in this district, of the Mysore Factories Regulation and the Rules thereunder.

2. There is only one factory in this district, *viz.*, the Goribidnur Sugar Factory, which comes under the purview of the said Regulation. It is situated at a distance of about half a mile from the Goribidnur town on the banks of the Northern Pennar. The South India Industrials, Ltd., are the proprietors of the factory, and Mr. J. Cromwell continued to be in immediate charge of the working and internal management thereof.

3. The factory worked only for five months in the year, *i.e.* from January to April and in the month of October, but at other times it had been closed for want of stock of jaggery.

4. The factory is worked by a steam engine of 100 horse power and all the machines and mill gearing are fenced properly. The system of shifts is in force in this factory, there being four shifts in a day, each of 6 hours' duration.

5. The average number employed during the year was 160 per day, of whom 148 were males and 12 females. The maximum period during which women are made to work in the day is 10 hours with an interval of two hours. They are not allowed to work at nights.

6. The sanitary arrangements in the factory and its precincts are reported to be satisfactory and the general health of the employees to be good.

7. There were no prosecutions under the Regulation during the year.

8. The factory was inspected once by the Sub-Division Officer and 1st Class Magistrate of Chikballapur Sub-Division, and once by the Amildar Magistrate during the year.

9. The manager has been pointed out that the provision of only two holidays in a month to the operatives in the factory is opposed to Section 5 B of the Regulation and that work should be stopped on all Sundays.

10. The statement that has to accompany the report is herewith submitted.

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| Statement to accompany annual report on the working of the Sugar Factory at Goribidnur, Kolar District, for the calendar year 1911. |                                  |                    |                        |                         |                                             |         |       |          |         |                                        |                            |                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                     |                           |       |                                                                                   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------|---------|-------|----------|---------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Serial No.                                                                                                                          | Name and locality of the factory | Nature of industry | Nature of moving power | Amount of moving power  | Average daily number of operatives employed |         |       |          |         |                                        | Total                      | Whether the factory is worked mainly (1) by shifts, (2) by mid-day stoppages or (3) otherwise              | Whether a general holiday is ordinarily given (1) on Sundays, (2) on varying weekdays or (3) whether factory is exempted under Section 5 B (2) c or (4) under Section 5 B (2) d of the Regulation or (5) otherwise worked | Number of accidents |                           |       |                                                                                   |
|                                                                                                                                     |                                  |                    |                        |                         | Adults                                      |         |       | Children |         |                                        |                            |                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Fatal               | Serious                   | Minor | Total                                                                             |
|                                                                                                                                     |                                  |                    |                        |                         | Males                                       | Females | Total | Males    | Females | Total                                  |                            |                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                     |                           |       |                                                                                   |
| 1                                                                                                                                   | 2                                | 3                  | 4                      | 5                       | 6                                           | 7       | 8     | 9        | 10      | 11                                     | 12                         | 13                                                                                                         | 14                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 15                  | 16                        | 17    | 18                                                                                |
| 1                                                                                                                                   | Goribidnur Sugar Factory         | Sugar refining     | Steam engine           | One hundred horse power | 148                                         | 12      | 160   | Nil      | Nil     | Nil                                    | 160                        | Mainly by shifts                                                                                           | No general holiday is given on any account except two Sundays in a month                                                                                                                                                  | Nil                 | Nil                       | Nil   | Nil                                                                               |
| Number of persons convicted during the year                                                                                         |                                  |                    |                        |                         |                                             |         |       |          |         |                                        |                            | Number of inspections made during the year                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                     |                           |       | Remarks                                                                           |
| Under Section 15 (1) of the Factories Regulation                                                                                    |                                  |                    |                        |                         |                                             |         |       |          | Total   | Under Section 15 (2) of the Regulation | Total of columns 28 and 29 | By Magistrates                                                                                             | By Special Inspectors of factories                                                                                                                                                                                        | By Medical Officers | By other officers, if any | Total |                                                                                   |
| A                                                                                                                                   | B                                | C                  | D                      | E                       | F                                           | G       | H     | I        |         |                                        |                            |                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                     |                           |       |                                                                                   |
| 19                                                                                                                                  | 20                               | 21                 | 22                     | 23                      | 24                                          | 25      | 26    | 27       | 28      | 29                                     | 30                         | 31                                                                                                         | 32                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 33                  | 34                        | 35    | 36                                                                                |
| Nil                                                                                                                                 | Nil                              | Nil                | Nil                    | Nil                     | Nil                                         | Nil     | Nil   | Nil      | Nil     | Nil                                    | Nil                        | 1. Sub-Division and 1st Class Magistrate, Chikballapur.<br>2. Amildar and 2nd Class Magistrate, Goribidnur | Nil                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Nil                 | Nil                       | Two   | The factory was at work during the months from January to April and October 1911. |

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ORDER THEREON.—The number of factories in the State remained the same as in the previous year, *viz.*, two in the Bangalore District, one in the Kolar District, one in the Mysore District and three in the Chitaldrug District.

2. On account of the nature of the work carried on in the Goribidnur Sugar Factory, it was recently exempted from the provisions of the Regulation prohibiting the employment of labour on Sundays.

3. The report of the District Magistrate, Bangalore District, discloses several irregularities in the working of the Mills of the Mysore Spinning and Manufacturing Co., Ltd., Bangalore. Inadequate supply of water for the use of the operatives and insanitary arrangements for its distribution and deficiency of ventilation in the weaving room are some of the instances of violation of Rules by the Mill Authorities brought to notice. The District Magistrate is requested to take suitable steps at an early date to have these defects remedied and report his having done so.

It is also noticed that the practice prevails in this Mill of employing uncertified children for labour and that women labourers are not given as much rest as is required by the rules. The District Magistrate should strictly enforce the rules and see that the unauthorised practices referred to above are stopped.

Government regret to observe that the report from the District Magistrate of Bangalore was received on the 8th October 1912, that is, nearly six months after the due date. Such inordinate delay discounts greatly the value of the report furnished and it is hoped that better attention will be paid in future to the punctual submission of the report.

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